

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**Applicant:** Mitsuru Kuroda

**Examiner:** Unassigned

**Serial No:** unassigned

**Art Unit:** Unassigned

**Filed:** herewith

**Docket:** 14824A

**For:** PORTABLE RADIO DEVICE

**Dated:** February 20, 2004

Mailstop Patent Application  
Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Arlington, VA 22313-1450

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In connection with the above-identified patent application, kindly enter the following preliminary amendment.

---


**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING BY EXPRESS MAIL**

Express Mail Mailing Label Number: EV 244124429US

Date of Deposit: February 20, 2004

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service Express Mail Post Office to Addressee service under 37 C.F.R. §1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Dated: February 20, 2004

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Paul J. Esatto, Jr.